

National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



October 2000 Time Local/ Path Length Path Width Number of Estimated Persons Damage TEXAS, North Wise County 2 SE Rhome 15 1345CST 0 1 Lightning A boy was in critical condition after being struck by lightning in the parking lot of the Texas Motor Speedway. **Mclennan County** (Act)Madison-Cooper Thunderstorm Wind $(G52)^M$ 16 1432CST **Mclennan County Bellmead** 16 1453CST Hail (0.75) October 15-16 Episode Narrative Scattered showers and thunderstorms moved across North Texas, with some reports of heavy rain and a lot of lightning. Most storms remained below severe limits, but once cell in Mclennan county did become severe. **Eastland County** 2 S Desdemona to .5 E Desdemona 2.5 20 25K Tornado (F0) A tornado touched down just south of town and moved north-northeast with intermittent touchdowns for 2.5 miles. Damage was done to an abandoned turkey barn, three sheds, a house, a mobile home, a car and power lines. **Tarrant County** Arlington 22 1500CST 0 0 0.50KThunderstorm Wind (G60) Thunderstorm winds blew down a tree that was 2 feet in diameter. Eight inch limbs were broken off other trees. October 22 Episode Narrative Isolated thunderstorms developed across North Texas. Many areas remained dry, but some locations received rain amounts in excess of 1 inch. One particularly intense cell moved through Eastland county, spawning a tornado which did some damage as it moved across the area. Another cell moved across the eastern portions of Tarrant county, causing some damage to trees **Mills County** Countywide 2030CST Thunderstorm Wind (G52) Trees were blown down by high thunderstorm winds in the northwest part of the county. **Johnson County** 29 0030CST Cleburne 20K Thunderstorm Wind High thunderstorm winds damaged roofs and fences. A large tree was uprooted and a large storage barn and horse shed were destroyed. A horse in the shed was killed when the shed collapsed

October 28-29 Episode Narrative

Heavy rain and thunderstorms developed across the southwestern portions of North Texas, generally in a line from Goldthwaite to Glen Rose. Additional activity was observed from Glen Rose to Cleburne to Plano, and from Mineral Wells to Gainesville. Some of the thunderstorms which developed caused wind damage across the southwestern counties.